



2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 305

April 29, 2003 - Introduced by Representatives UNDERHEIM, LASSA, KREIBICH, MUSSER, BLACK, BERCEAU, POCAN and PETROWSKI, cosponsored by Senator WIRCH. Referred to Committee on Health.

1 **AN ACT to create** 49.175 (1) (zp) of the statutes; **relating to:** a grant of temporary
2 assistance for needy families moneys to Big Brothers Big Sisters of Wisconsin,
3 Inc., to provide mentors for children and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the Department of Workforce Development (DWD) is directed to allocate specific amounts of moneys in each fiscal year, including federal moneys received under the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Block Grant Program, for various public assistance programs. This bill directs DWD to allocate \$500,000 in TANF block grant moneys in each fiscal year for a grant to Big Brothers Big Sisters of Wisconsin, Inc., to provide mentors to children to encourage those children to improve their school performance, avoid the use of alcohol and other drugs, avoid nonmarital pregnancy, avoid violence and other delinquent or antisocial behaviors, and develop positive social skills.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

4 **SECTION 1.** 49.175 (1) (zp) of the statutes is created to read:

